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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Title: SEMEN EXTENDER COMPOSITION AND METHODS FOR  
MANUFACTURING AND USING

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a three-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action mailed February 12, 2004, said period of response being extended from May 12, 2004 to August 12, 2004.

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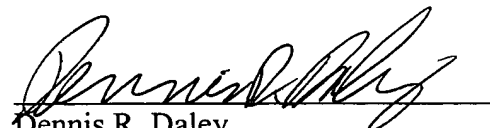
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